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NURNBERG SUNK BY BRITISH SHIP

London, Dec. 10.—The official bureau announced this afternoon that the German cruiser Nurnberg, one of the warships which escaped from the English in the engagement of December 8, has been sunk.

The ext of the official bureau statement reads:

"A further telegram has been received from Vice Admiral Frederick Doveton Sturdee reporting that the Nurnberg was also sunk on December 8th, and that the search for the Dresden is still proceeding.

"The action lasted for five hours, with intervals(. No loss of any British vessel is reported."

The Nurnberg was one of the small units of the German squadron which was defeated off the Falkland Islands by the British warships on December 8. She carried 295 men.

Announcement of the sinking o fthe Nurnberg leaves only the Dresden to be accounted for of the five warships in the German squadron.

The British admiralty preserved its silence as to the units of the squadron which sank the formidable German cruisers Scharnhorst and the Gneisenau and the smaller Leipzig, but it was intimated at Tokio that the warships which avenged England for the loss of the Good Hope and Monmouth were all British vessels. It was said at Tokio that the British squadron was reinforced recently by the addition of several big gunships, so presumably the German warships were opposed by a stronger enemy.

Naval observes, commenting on the battle, note that in all naval engagements in the present war there is great disparity between the losses of the victors and the vanquished. In the case of the British cruisers Monmouth and Good Hope, sent to the bottom by a German squadron, the Germans were practically unscathed, and that is true of the British in their victorious engagement. That is attributed to a great extent to the fact that naval engagements have been between ships of unequal armament.

Nevertheless, it is argued that even with ships of similar armament the disproportion of losses between the victor and the vanquished would be greater by far than anything possible in land warfare.

Dresdent Cornered.

Buconos Aires, December 10.—The German cruiser Dresden, the only warship of Count von Spee's squadron to escape after the battle with the British squadron under command of Admiral Sturdee, has been cornered in the straits of Magellan, according to advices obtained through well-informed circles.

The naval division commanded by Admiral Sturdee is understood to include nine warships, notably the British cruisers Lion and Indefatigable.

WHITE MAN IN COUNTY JAIL; SHOT NEGRO

With the withdrawal of a petition asking for a habeas corpus hearing before Probate Judge A. C. Crawford this afternoon in the case of Malcolm Ingram charged with shooting to death Zollie Bryson, a negro, the unusual spectacle of a white man being held in the county jail for shooting a negro, is presented.

Counsel for Ingram withdrew their petition when Lawyers A. E. Face and B. F. Reid, employed by relatives of Zollie Bryson, the dead negro, said that if the defendant was allowed bail that the decision would be appealed to the Supreme Court. Following this, Lawyers, E. H. Hill, W. L. Lee, and B. G. Farmer, counsel for Ingram, announced their withdrawal, thereby stopping the proceedings without requiring Judge Crawford to pass upon the case.

At the preliminary hearing this Summer, shortly after the shooting, Judge Crawford allowed the defendant bond in the sum of $1,500. The grand jury indicted Ingram on a charge of first degree murder, he was re-arrested by the sheriff, and habeas corpus proceedings were instituted.

GENERAL BLISS TAKES CHARGE O NBORDER

Naco, Ariz., Dec. 10.—General Tasker H. Bliss arrived here today and immediately took charge of the situation growing out of the Mexican battle just across the line at Naco, Sonora.

He said the field artillery ordered here would leave El Paso at noon today.

T. R. INDICATES HE WILL NOT RUN AGAIN

Portland, Ore., Dec. 10.—Colonel Roosevelt is not going to be a candidate for President again, judging from the following letter received from him by Dr. H. W. Coe, national committeeman of the Progressive party:

"The public is tired of hearing of reforms, or hearing from reformers, and especially me."

ATLANTIC COAST IN GRIP OF TERRIFIC STORM

View of beach property damaged at Sea Bright, N. J., by the rain and wind storm which has been raging all along the Jersey and New England coast. Hundreds of thousands of dollars worth of property has been destroyed by the gale and high tides. Many beautiful summer mansions have been torn down from their foundations and swept out to sea by the heavy tides.

GREAT INVENTOR TAKES UP WORK

West Orange, N. J., Dec. 10.—When the fire which swept the ten-acre manufacturing plant of the Thomas A. Edison Company here was extinguished today, a hurried inventory of the damage revealed that eleven of the eighteen buildings had been destroyed, others had been damaged and that the loss would approximate $7,000,000, with $2,000,000 covered by insurance.

Seven thousand men are employed at the plant and half of these, it is estimated, will be idle temporarily. The entire force of employs was put to work today removing the debris. Under the active supervision of Thomas A. Edison they began tearing down the concrete walls which had to be removed while the embers were cooling.

At least one man perished in the flames. That became known today with the finding of a charred body in the ruins of the film house where the explosion occurred which started the blaze. Two other men, both workmen, were reported missing.

The flames were beaten back from the laboratory and workshop of Mr. Edison where were stored immumerable records and materials gathered from every corner of the world. At the height of the fire men removed the most valuable records to Mr. Edison's home.

Cleveland, Dec. 10.—Six thousand persons crowded Central Armory this afternoon at the public reception in honor of the home-coming of Myron T. Herrick, former ambassador to France, who reached Cleveland from New York this morning.

Mayor Baker presided at the reception and introduced Mr. Herrick. The ovation accorded the diplomat lasted fifteen minutes. Mr. Herrick made a brief address but did not refer to the European war further than to say that whatever praise he had received was due wholly to the accident of his happening to be in Paris as the representative of the only great power not involved in the war.

"It feels good to get back," said Mr. Herrick, who added that he would have "to earn some money," as his duties in Paris

Mortuary

DEATH OF PERRY HAYES.

News has reached this city of the death of Perry Hayes, of Hendersonville, N. C., a brother of Mrs. Sudie Hayes. This information was contained in a telegram received by relatives here. The body will be sent to Columbia, Ala., where the funeral will take place tomorrow.

700 MARINES SAIL FOR PORTHSMOUTH, N. H.

Philadelphia, Dec. 10.—The cruiser Washington with 700 marines sailed from here today for the navy yarl at Portsmouth, N. H. The marines are prat of the 2,600 who arrived here last week from Vera Cruz.

PICKPOCKETS VICTIMIZE DOTHAN BOY

Jim Sellers, formerly of this city, was victimized by pickpockets in Chicago Saturday and $175 was stolen from his pockets, according to news received by his mother, Mrs. Bena Sellers.

Jim told of his loss in a letter to his mother, and said he would be in Dothan during the Christmas holidays. He is well known among the young men of this city, where he once lived.

COLD SNAP LIKELY TO BRING SNOW TO DIXIE

Atlanta Ga., Dec. 10.—The weather man made a bull's eye with his prediction of colder weather for Thursday. The cold snap came at the scheduled minute, an dovercoats and furs were more plentiful on Peachtree street Thursday than they have been fo rs month.

The cold wave is expected to stay until Sunday, when the wether is scheduled to moderate. There is a possibility of snow during the next few days, as the weather maps are tracing the progress of a season of snow, rain and sleet that come out of the northwest and is traveling

HILL'S MEN FIRE ON U. S. CITIZENS

Naco, Ariz., Dec. 10.—Reports received by American military authorities here indicate the firing on telephone linemen yesterday was done by soldiers in Hill's trench in Naco, Sonora. Observers expressed belief that as many stray bullets come from the Hill troops as from the besieging lines of Governor Maytorena.

It is believed Hill's men fired into American territory frequently and lay blame on Maytorena in order to direct American wrath against Maytorena.

Another Mexican Out for the Presidency.

Galveston, Tex., Dec. 10.—Iglexins Caldron has been proclaimed as provisional president of Mexico by Genevo de La O., one of General Zapata's supporters, according to information from Vera Cruz received at the Mexican consulate here today.

ASHVILLE MAN'S TUBERCULOSIS CURE IS NOT ENDORSED

Washington, Dec. 10.—A report by the Public Health Service of an investigation requested by the Senate into tuberculosis treatment by Dr. Von Ruck, of Ashville, N. C., was submitted today by Secretary McAdoo. Surgeon General Blue stated that after full investigation at Ashville and in government laboratories, the specific claims made for the curative agent "could not be substantiated."

NEW ORLEANS TO SHIP 5,000 MULES MONTHLY

New Orleans, Dec. 10.—Five thousand mules for the use of the British army will be shipped from New Orleans each month until the cessation of hostilities or until the American supply is exhausted, according to a statement made here tonight by General F. W. Benson, an English officer who arrived here today to confer with brother officers who have been here for some weeks supervising the shipment of live stock.

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POOR PEOPLE NEEB A "LIFT"

Police Chief Rollins Says Officers Will Cite Any Society or Individual to Persons Suffering for Necessities.

That there are many cases of families in needy straits in this city, and that cases of really good people who need a "lift" arise from time to time, and that they most always appeal to the police for aid, is the statement of Chief of Police C. J. Rollins.

Chief Rollins says that many persons have appealed to him in the past, and that he always rendered all the assistance possible, and that if there are any societies in the city that wish to undertake the work of relieving the poor, some of whom are in actual want and suffering, that the Police Department will cite cases worthy of investigation.

In former days the city has often extended help to the indigent, but now the city treasury is not particularly bubbling over with funds, and consequently is not in position to offer succor.

The Police Department is in better position to know existing conditions than any individual or organization, for the policemen come in more direct contact with instances of those in need of the necessities of life. This department, according to the chief, will direct any organization or individual to cases of good people needing assistance at this time.

A few nights ago 24 hoboes "hit" town, three of whom called at the Fire Station, and were given a "feed" and a little money by a kind officer. Some time after this, a 15-year-old boy, broke, away from home and without money, was aided at the Fire Station. Frequently the firemen who draw only meagre salaries, assist the "down and outs" who drop in at the station. Many of these people are not professional tramps, but are unfortunates who are driven from one city to another in quest of work.

Outside of the transients who "hit" town broke, there are numerous cases in this city of poor people living here who need a "lift,"—some of whom, it is said, are in actual want of the necessities of life.

Police Officer Horace Daugherty heard a sad story, which must have been untrue, as efforts to verify the report have failed. According to the report a man entered a store in Dixie, and got a sack of flour and a slice of meat, telling the storekeeper to charge it. The man was told that no goods were charged, but he picked up teh flour and meat and walked out. Police Officer Deshazo was sent to the home of the man, where he found several children devouring the uncooked flour, which had been mixed with water. This story is no doubt untrue, as all efforts to confirm it have failed.

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SCHOOL [illegible] EXPECED S[illegible]

Rural School Teachers Have [illegible] Received Their Pay for [illegible] ber, Which Was Due Last [illegible] urday.

The November pay roll for rural school teachers in this county had not been received by G. [illegible] Malone, county school treasurer this morning, and the delay is a doubt causing more or less anxiety among the teachers. Of course they feel no uneasiness about receiving their money, but they would prefer to receive their salaries when due.

County Superintendent of Education John M. Odom says he received a message from State Superintendent of Education Foster that the pay roll will probably be ready by the 12th of this month but Mr. Feagin is not sure.

There are approximately 80 rural school teachers whose salaries for November became due on Saturday, who are still awaiting the receipt of their salary warrants.

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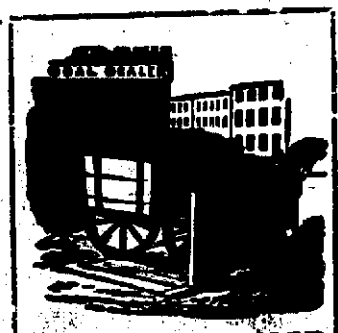
Dr. Hanson has been here [illegible] than about a year and [illegible] that time has done [illegible] about [illegible] and in the surrounding [illegible] The best way to be [illegible] is to visit Dr. Hanson [illegible] Dothan on the [illegible] (11) days.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A Warning Follows Waiting—

Savannah News.

There is no suggestion in President Wilson's order sending three batteries of field artillery to Naco, Ariz., that a few shells will be dropped over into Mexican territory, but if they were it might be a long time before Mexican bullets would whiz across the border again during the little family battles that are constantly occurring in Mexico.

It is high time a stop was being put to the killing and wounding of Americans on their own soil by careless or malicious Mexicans who presumably are shooting at each other. The role of innocent bystander is not pleasant. The President has directed Secretary Bryan to warn both sides in Mexico that fighting near the American border must be discontinued. It is hoped that the warning will be heeded, for it would be regrettable, on account of its probable consequences, if the American artillery were ordered to sprinkle a large section of northern Mexico with shrapnel, and the Mexican leaders of all factions should be advised that there is to be no bluffing on the part of the United States, that it has put its foot down and means that they and their men must stay away from the American border if they want to fight among themselves.

Plight of the Mill

Not enough consideration in the discussions of the cotton situation, has been given to the plight of the manufacturers of cotton goods, and yet they have been as much hurt by the large cotton crop as have been the planters, says the New York Times. Up to the time when the new crop was ready for picking, the mill men were paying between 13 and 14 cents a pound for the fiber and putting it into goods, the Times continues. When the time came for marketing the latter the cost of raw material had dropped about 40 per cent, and the manufacturers were called on to sell their product on the new basis for raw cotton. It meant a great loss and they have had to bear it. This circumstance, taken in connection with the difficulties of borrowing money at the time, made it particularly hard. The strain on those immediately responsible was in many instances severe and had to be met with unusual expedients. It was doubtless some condition that led Lewis W. Parker, the able president of the Parker Cotton Mills Company, controlling sixteen southern mills to resign his position the other day and turn over the financing of the corporation into other hands. A similar condition regarding silk has caused a number of manufacturers recently to ask leniency on the part of their creditors. But the sympathy felt in reality expressed on behalf of the growers of a raw material is rarely extended as far as the manufacturer who makes use of it.—Emporia (Kan.) Ga-

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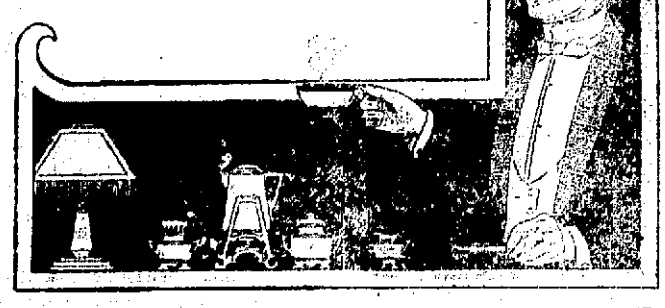

The German Defensive

(From the Review of Reviews)

At the Battle of the Marne the great German offensive was halted, rolled back. After six weeks a colossal military operation to end a world war by a single blow had terminated in defeat and the German general staff, confronted by the failure of that grandiose conception which had occupied the industry and the genius of the generals for a decade, were compelled to accept that defensive role, so hateful to all their strategists from Blucher and Von Moltke to Bernhardi.

Yet, as in the earlier weeks, it had been the German offensive which had supplied the central circumstance in the great war, so from early September to late October it was the German defensive which claimed equal attention. In that period German high command gave an example of resourcefulness, of skill in foreseen deadly thrusts, of ability to transport men from one end of Europe to the other and with smaller resources keep the numbers equal at the decisive point, which was beyond praise.

To get at the throat of France, to take Paris and destroy French military power before Russia was mobilized—this was the compelling purpose of German strategy from Liege to the Marne. But one month after the failure at the Marne, German armies were advancing in Poland, Galicia and along the Nieman. A new army was storming the last line of the defenses of Antwerp, another was pounding at the barrier forts of eastern France, while along the Aisne the great mass of German military strength stood inexpugnable on the front occupied five days after the retreat from the Marne had begun. In that time a rout, which seemed imminent, had been avoided. A retreat from France, once apparently inescapable, had been at the least postponed indefinitely. Finally, the allied advance, frontally and by the left flank, had been halted.

Beside this struggle in France the conflict along the distant Vistula still seemed relatively less significant. Again the world watched the German operations in the west, saw in the German defensive in late September and October the same superb military skill of the offensive in August and early September, discovered in the strategy of Von Kluck a new page in defensive warfare, comparable with those devoted to the achievements of Lee in northern Virginia, of Napoleon in 1814, of the great Frederick in the most famous of all his campaigns.

In this same time and by contrast with German achievement allied efforts seemed incomparably inferior. With inferior numbers, encouraged by recent success, possessing shorter lines of communication and hence inexhaustible supplies of reserves and material, the allies failed to transform German retreat into a rout. They were unable to terminate German occupation of French territory either by frontal or flank attack. They did not succeed in succoring gallant Belgium in her last ditch at Antwerp. They could not turn to decisive advantage along the Aisne the latest brave fight of King Albert, which occupied so many Germans along the Scheldt.

Territory was regained, German attacks were repulsed, advantages were won; but, measured by their opportunity, the allies in October, as in the earlier months, still seemed lacking in the mastery of the art of war, which their great opponent now displayed on the defensive, as before he had shown in the offensive.

The Conqueror.

Robert Ingersoll.

A little while ago, I stood by the grave of the old Napoleon—a magnificent tomb of gilt and gold, fit almost for a deity dead—and gazed upon the sarcophagus of rare and priceless marble, where rest at last the ashes of that restless man. I leaned over the balustrade and thought about the career of the greatest soldier of the modern world. I saw him walking upon the banks of the Seine, contemplating suicide. I saw him at Toulon—I saw him putting down the mob in the streets of Paris—I saw him at the head of the army of Italy—I saw him crossing the bridge of Lodi, with the tricolor in his hand—I saw him in Egypt in the shadow of the Pyramids—I saw him conquer the Alps and mingle the eagles of France with the eagles of the crags. I saw him at Marengo—at Ulm and Austerlitz. I saw him in Russia, where the infantry of the snow and cavalry of the wild beasts scattered his legions like Winter's withered leaves. I saw him at Leipsic in defeat and disaster—driven by a million bayonets back upon Paris—clutched like a wild beast—banished to Elba. I saw him escape and retake an empire by the force of his genius. I saw him upon the frightful field of Waterloo, where Chance and Fate combined to wreck the fortunes of their former king. And I saw him at Saint Helena, with his hands crossed behind him, gazing out upon the sad and solemn sea. I thought of the orphans and widows he had made—of the tears that had been shed for his glory and of the old woman who over loved him, pushed from his heart by the cold hand of ambition. And I said I would far rather have been a humble, hard-working French peasant and worn wooden shoes. I would rather have lived in a hut with a vine growing over the door, and the grapes growing purple in the kisses of the Autumn sun. I would rather have been that peasant with my loving wife by my side, knitting as the day died out of the sky—with my children upon my knees and their arms about me—I would rather have been that man and gone down to the unmeaning silence of the dreamless dust, than to have been that imperial impersonation of force and murder, known as "Napoleon the Great."

The Weed in War.

Members of the New York Anti-tobacco League, and especially their active and obnoxious president, Dr. Pease, will hardly be pleased to hear of the formation of the Blue Cross society in London, which is composed of children whose object is to collect smoking material for convalescent soldiers. Kipling once remarked that "you can't get out a newspaper without tobacco," and it would seem that the weed is about as essential in conducting a war.

Correspondents have sent us a graphic picture of Gen. French walking along the military lines in France merely inspecting the troops on peaceful parade. The regular allowance from the commissary department for each British soldier includes a weekly supply of tobacco. During the Boer war one of the Christmas presents from royalty to the troops was a pipe for each man in the ranks. French soldiers seem more for cigarettes, in which they indulge at every opportunity in camp and on the march, with the approval of their officers.

In the face of such facts an anti-tobacco propaganda founded on the alleged baleful effects of the weed is bound to have hard sledding. It is true that many a doctor, with sound reason, advises a patient to give up smoking, but the chances are that the same doctor, as he issues his virtual prohibition, has a cigar or cigarette in his mouth at the time. The layman can only conclude, therefore, that tobacco is not an absolute evil, but a gift of the gods that must be used with discretion. Soldiers who have been accustomed to smoking would find it a real deprivation, that might effect their efficiency, to go without it, while those who have never used tobacco would be better off if they never tried it.—Pittsburg Gazette-Times.

We'll soon see the European war pictures at the moving picture shows. They are making them up in New Jersey now.

"Tight skirt is going" says a headline. Yes, but there's no woman in it this trip.

BOLL WEEVIL.

The boll weevil did about $50,000,000 worth of damage in the cotton crop in 1913, as estimated in the new report of the entomologist. Nearly 18,000 square miles of new territory became infested during the year. Every effort is being made to control these depredations, particularly by the use of poisoned orthoarsenate of lead, and hand picking of cotton squares and bolls. Assurance is lacking that the weevil will be kept in check under practical plantation conditions today remains undecided.

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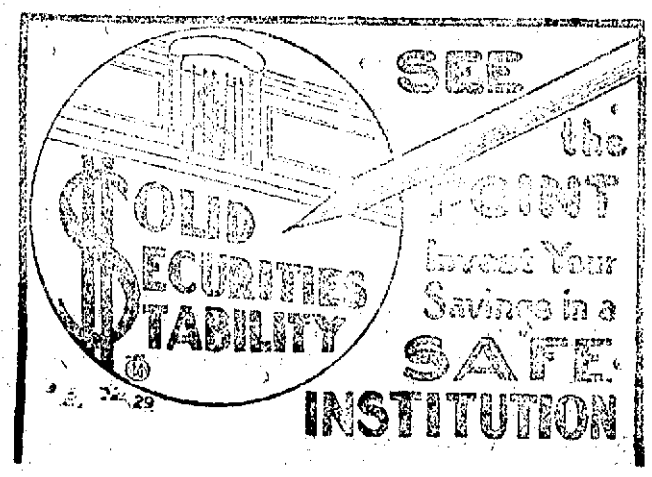

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THE CHICKEN QUESTION

"It's queer how some married ones as long as your leg showing people will quarrel over noth- that two dozen hens will provide ing," remarked the druggist, a living for a family, but I ... "My next door neighbor filled sure you that I am boss of the the whole neighborhood with ... place, and I say there won't be glory for several hours last night. chickens on the place, so you keep She had purchased a dozen chick- your mind easy.'

ens at a remnant sale somewhere and wanted to start a hennery in the back yard, but her husband wouldn't stand for it, so they fawed around all night, and probably are at it again today."

"And you call that a small matter," commented the village patriarch. "That everlasting chicken question has laid desolate more hearths than booze, cocaine or the slot machines. Yet when your neighbors discuss it you say they are 'quarreling about nothing.' I thought you had more sense.

"Men usually are reasonable where chickens are concerned. I have a neighbor named Tomnelson, and last spring I heard disquieting rumors to the effect that he was going to lay in a holiday line of chickens. I knew that if he did so there would be no use planting a garden or trying to make my place look as though civilized people lived there. So I went over to see Tomnelson, and asked him, as man to man, whether he intended to embark in the chicken business.

"He was quite polite and agreeable, and demonstrated at once that his heart was in the right place. 'I have too much respect for the rights of my neighbors,' said he, 'to permit a chicken on my place, unless its head has been removed. My wife has acquired the idea that we ought to have chickens, and has a string of fine-

"I haven't the least doubt that Tomnelson meant every word he said. He had every appearance of being a sincere and reliable man. But he was a monument salesman, and every once in a while he had to make a trip on the road with his valise full of sample gravestones, and he'd be gone five or six weeks at a time. I went ahead and put in my garden, and the prunes and radishes and things were growing beautifully, and just then my neighbor went away on his annual spring trip. His train had hardly pulled out of town before a farmer's wagon drove into the alley back of his abode, and about thirty old hens were unloaded.

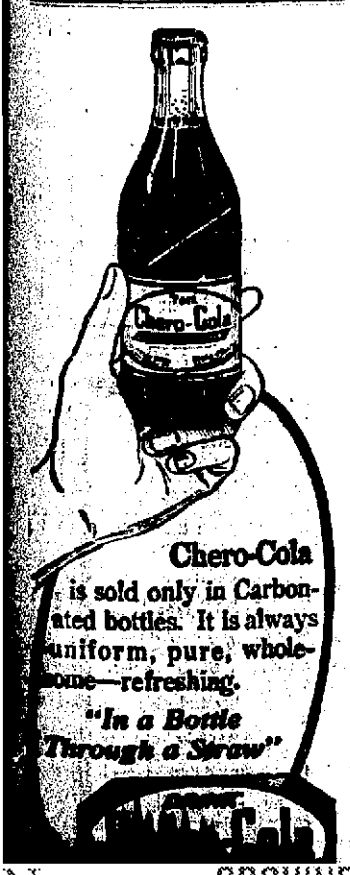
"Mrs. Tomnelson had a man already hired, and he loomed up with a roll of wire fencing and began putting it up, and inside of two hours the hennery was established. I went over to see Mrs. Tomnelson, and told her that her husband had given his sacred word that no chickens would be kept on his premises, but she laughed me to scorn.

"'My husband is a good man,' said she, 'but he has a lot to learn. He has a silly prejudice against chickens, and I am going to prove while he is away, that his prejudices are wrong. When he comes back I'll have my books to show how much the chickens have earned for us.'

"I offered to furnish statistics showing that chickens were a dead loss when kept in town, but she wouldn't be convinced. She was bound to go ahead. There are millions of women in this country similarly infatuated with the chicken business. You can't reason with them. Nothing but years of experience will convince them that chickens are an expensive luxury.

"Mrs. Tomnelson kept her chickens up two or three days, until they knew where their home was, and then turned them loose, and you should have seen the ruin of my garden. I discovered her husband's address, and telegraphed him, offering to pay his expenses home, and he came, like a good sport, and wring the necks of all those hens, and read the declaration of independence to his wife, and ever since then she makes a snoot at me every time she sees me.

—Walt Mason.



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"In a Bottle Through a Straw"

MRS. CURRIE VERY ILL.

A telegram was received yesterday by Mrs. W. F. Ussery saying that her sister, Mrs. Currie, of Wilmington, N. C., is very ill and that she is not expeteed to live. Mrs. W. F. Ussery left last night for Wilmington to attend the bedside of her sister.

OUR DESTITUTE.

"The poor ye have with you always." These are the Master's words. Dothan has and will have her destitute for whom she must care. The people of Dothan are not backward in this matter and need little exhortation to deeds of beneficence; but there must be some system by which the needy can be cared for and the imposters detected. That this may be done in a careful painstaking manner it is suggested that our contributions be given to Captain McAfee of the Salvation Army, who is capable and faithful, and who has time to investigate all applicants for aid and to seek out the destitute. You have not the time to do this, and yet you wish to help. Give him the funds and he will be your willing servant.

H. H. McNeill.

KILLING HOGS.

Lawyer E. H. Hill went to Slocomb yesterday, and he says the slaughter of hogs in the county attracted his attention, also whetted his appetite, which he took measure to satisfy by buying some fresh pork at a price decidedly lower than he could have found in Dothan.

SALTS FINE FOR ACHING KIDNEYS

We Eat Too Much Meat which Clogs Kidneys, Then the Back Hurts.

Most folks forget that the kidneys, like the bowels, get sluggish and clogged and need a flushing occasionally, else we have headache and dull misery in the kidney region, severe headaches, rheumatic twinges, torpid liver, acid stomach, sleeplessness and all sorts of bladder disorders.

You simply must keep your kidneys active and clean, and the moment you feel an ache or pain in the kidney region, get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any good drug store here, take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and is harmless to flush clogged kidneys and stimulate them to normal activity. It also neutralizes the acids in the urine so it no longer irritates, thus ending bladder disorders.

Jad Salts is harmless; inexpensive; makes a delightful effervescent lithia water drink which everybody should take now and then to keep their kidneys clean, thus avoiding serious complication.

A well known, local druggist says he sells lots of Jad Salts to folks who believe in overcoming kidney trouble while it is only trouble. (1)

EXPOSITION

A White Diamond Checked Hosiery

Isle Silver Collar

The New Department Store.

H. Blumberg

UNION BARBER SHOP

The Journeyman Barber International Union of America, Local No. 699, located at Dothan, Ala., is in good standing up to date. You'll find shop card displayed in:

City Barber Shop, East Main street

Ben May's Shop in Dixie.

J. C. Dixon, President.

AFTER SICKNESS A SPLENDID TONIC

All Rundown After a Hard Spell of Bronchitis. Mrs. Horbough Regained Strength by Taking Vinol.

Waynesboro, Pa. — "My system was all run down after a hard spell of bronchitis. It was hard for me to keep about. I had pains in my chest and took cold easily. I learned of Vinol from a friend and tried it. I soon felt better and now it has built me up and I am strong and well, and able to do my house work, which I had not been able to do for about three months before taking Vinol.

"You may publish this statement so others may know about Vinol and get help as I did."—Mrs. Y. R. Horbough, Waynesboro, Pa.

Thousands of other intelligent people are constantly praising Vinol for restoring health and strength.

Vinol is not a secret nostrum, but a delicious cod liver and iron tonic without oil, which will create an appetite, tone up the digestive organs, make pure blood and create strength.

If you are run-down and not as strong and energetic as you ought to be, try a bottle of Vinol with the understanding that we will pay back your money if it fails to help you.

N. H. McCallum, Druggist

Many friends of Mr. G. B White will be grieved to learn that he is confined to his bed with fever.

Christmas candy, just received. Ussery Grocery Co. 1t

Dressed Chickens, hens and fryers for Sunday dinner. City Market. phone 120. 1t

CREAM FOR CATARRH OPENS UP NOSTRILS

Tells How To Get Quick Relief from Head-Colds. It's Splendid!

In one minute your clogged nostrils will open, the air passages of your head will clear and you can breathe freely. No more hawking, snuffling, blowing, headache, dryness. No struggling for breath at night; your cold or catarrh will be gone.

Get a small bottle of Ely's Cream Balm from your druggist now. Apply a little of this fragrant, antiseptic, healing cream in your nostrils. It penetrates through every air passage of the head, soothes the inflamed or swollen mucous membrane and relief comes instantly.

It's just fine. Don't stay stuffed-up with a cold or nasty catarrh—Relief comes so quickly.

Nice celery, just in. Ussery Grocery Co. 1t

NO BARBER'S UNION IN DOTHAN

There is no local organization of Journeymen Barbers Union in Dothan. The minutes of a so-called meeting of Local No. 699, October 14th, will show that the Local was suspended by a vote of 5 to 3.

A. J. Peacock,
Acting Secretary on October 14, 1914. t13

Rooms For Rent—Two desirable rooms, second floor, suitable for light housekeeping. Apply to 405 W. Main st. t12pd.

TAX COLLECTOR'S NOTICE

Smith Hall, tax collector of Houston county gives notice that all state and county taxes were due and payable October 1st, 1914, for the year 1914, and will be delinquent on January 1st, 1915. Eight per cent interest will have to be paid on all state and county taxes after January 1st.

Poll tax will be due October 1st and February 1st, 1915 will be the last day on which poll tax may be paid for the year.

Tax payers are urged to act as promptly as possible, thereby saving interest.

The law requires that the taxes in this county be paid at the office of the collector in the court house, and unless they are, additional costs

YOU PROCRASTINATOR

If you think that you are going to make anything out of the present FORCED SALES of real estate by waiting for still better and larger bargains, you are sadly mistaken, for the BEST and the MOST REAL bargains that have ever been offered the investing public, is now confronting the public of Southeast Alabama.

So, MR. RENTER, now is YOUR TIME. Get on the DOING SIDE and forget about the fellow that is ALWAYS GOING TO DO, for now is the chance of a life time and if you fail to act you will be nothing more or less than the GENERAL PROCRASTINATOR, that YOU are always accusing the other fellow of being.

We have real estate in any size and we can SUIT YOU, as we have the PRICES and THE TERMS. See or write

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Break its hold on you—
Break the misery of it—
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Rexall Grippe Pills

We have noted their beneficial effect so often—
Have heard them so warmly praised by grateful people—
Have such absolute confidence in their merit—
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25 cents.

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Prescription Druggist

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CITY MARKET.

W. S. Eaton
Plumbing and Electrical Supplies, Estimates Cheerfully Furnished. Repair Work a

WANT ADS.

3 Lines 3 Times . 25c Cash

LOST—Lady's umbrella, pearl and silver handle with monogram S. E. A. Notify Mrs. S. E. Anderson, phone 297. t11p

FOR RENT—Few nice offices in the Cherry building, second floor. M. Cherry. tf.

Every housekeeper should have a Philathea Cook Book. They will make excellent Christmas gifts. Only 50c. 'Phone 127. td25p

Salesmen and saleladies, $2.00 per day salary, besides commission. Apple Green's 10c Department Store. Ask for Mrs. Ray. Tues-wed-wkpd

Wanted—Good milch cow, will pay $1 per month for use of good milch cow fresh in milk, good pasture, good feed and attention. Also want to buy two good mules. Call Haistings, phone 40. tf

For Sale—House and lot, well located, fair terms, price cheap. Apply this office. tf

YOUR CHOICE R. I. Red cockerel for $3 while they last. A few White Orpingtons 2.50. Mrs. J. W. Baughman, Phone 213, 409 E. Main street. tf

FOR SALE—Large farm containing over twelve hundred acres good, level land, located on hard road six miles from Marianna. Five hundred acres cleared and well fenced. Three hundred acres woodland fenced for hog pasture. Good dwelling house, out-houses and barns. Very desirable for stock farm. Will sell all or part at reasonable price. C. E. Merritt, Marianna, Fla. d16p

FOR SALE—Scholarship in local business college. Apply this office. tf

WANTED BOARD—In private family without children. Must be close in. Address Permanent Boarder, Box 453. tf

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J. E. Cowan, W. M.
G. A. Scott, Secretary.

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Regular convocations held on 3rd and 4th Friday nights. Visiting companions cordially welcome.

W. Norton, H. P.
S. Landry, Secretary.

DOTHAN CAMP NO. 185, W. O. W.

Meets second and fourth Tuesday nights over Nix's Drug Store. All qualified Sovereigns are invited to meet with us.

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W. J. Denton, Clerk.

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Warm, Sanitay Blankets. We are Dothan agents for one of America's best blanket makers. Coming to us direct from the manufacturer in case lots, buying as jobbers, enables us to name prices that cannot be equaled elsewhere. All of our blankets were made this year. We have a beautiful stock to select from. We are a one price store, do not put big prices on our goods like some stores, and cannot make the big reductions these stores do.

$5.00 BLANKETS SALE PRICE	$3.95	$8.50 BLANKETS SALE PRICE	$6.75
$5.95 BLANKETS SALE PRICE	$4.89	$10.00 BLANKETS SALE PRICE	$7.85
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AUTOMOBILE ROBES—STEAMER RUGGS IN THE BLANKET SECTION

UNDERWEAR

Warm, Winter Underwear for women and children. Our stock of Winter Underwear is probably as large as that of the combined stocks of any of three Dothan stores. We buy as jobbers in case lots direct from the mills. This means a saving to you in quality. A few days ago a lady, while buying some children's Union suits told us our 50c quality was as good as she had seen elsewhere $1.00. These same 50c Union Suits are now 38c.

Infant's Vests, 15c quality, Sale Price 11c
Infant's Vests 25c quality, Sale Price 19c
Infant's Vests, 35c quality, Sale Price 26c
Infant's Vests, 50c quality, Sale Price 38c
Children's Underwear, 35c quality, Sale Price 26c
Children's Underwear, 25c quality, Sale Price 19c
Children's Underwear, 50c quality, Sale Price 38c
Children's Underwear, $1 quality, Sale price 78c

Ladies' Long Sleeve Corset Covers Sale Price 38c
(These are wonderful values.)
Ladies' 25c Vests and Pants, Sale Price 19c
Ladies' 50c Vests and Pants, Sale Price 38c
Ladies' 50c Union Suits, Sale Price 38c
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Union Suits have long sleeves, ankle length, or no sleeves, knee length.

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It is the first time that a real, sure-as-fate corn cure has ever been discovered. "GETS-IT" is the new corn ender, based on an entirely new principle. It is a new, different formula, never successfully imitated. It makes corns shrivel and then vanish. Two drops do the work. You don't bandle up your toe any more with sticky tape and plasters that press down on the poor corn—no more flesh eating salves that don't "stay put" no more hacking at corns with knives or razors, no more bleeding or danger of blood poison. No more limping around for days with sore corns, no more corn pains.

Find the Lady Who Uses the World's Greatest Corn-Cure, "GETS-IT."

"GETS-IT" is now the biggest selling corn cure in the world. Use it on any hard or soft corn, wart, callus or bunion. Tonight's the night.

"GETS-IT" is sold by druggists everywhere, 25 cents a bottle or sent direct by E. Lawrence & Co., Chicago. For sale in Dothan by N. H. McCallum, W. L. Brown and M. A. Ellison Drug Co. adv

THE MAN AND HIS DEBTS.

(Montgomery Advertiser)

Here is the great individual factor, who stands in the way of better business—the man who owes money, who has the money to pay his debts, and who will not pay them. What is more, with his hand gripped about his pocketbook he is the loudest talker of hard times in the community.

We want to present this individual so taht he can see himself go by—a detriment to the better interests of the community. It is unfortunate that there are many people, too many people for the good of the community, who really cannot pay their debts promptly. They are not altogether blamable for their misfortune and against them no criticism is aimed. But against the man who has the money to pay his debts, and who withholds it from circulation the business community has a distinct grievance. It has a distinct cause of offense when this man, to defend his own course, prate of hard times on any and every occasion.

If a man owes nothing, and if he has a supply of cash on hand he has the right to hold it, till the cows come home. If he owes debts, and yet as money, he is not doing the fair and square thing to hold his money and to let his creditors whistle for their rights. If a man has both patriotism and money his patriotism right now will find depression in going around and paying what he owes. It is not thrift for a man to squeeze his money when he is in debt. It is injustice to his creditors. He is coolly and selfishly feathering his own nest at the expense of people who have trusted him.

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$30 Suits on sale at only .....
$25.00 Suits on sale at only .....
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$18.00 Suits on sale at only .....
$12.50 Suits on sale at only .....

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$12.00 Boys' Suits now on sale at only .....
$10.00 Boys' Suits now on sale at only .....
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$7.00 Boys' Suits now on sale at only .....
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Here you will find the USEFUL things that delight the heart of the boys, big and little. What more appropriate gifts than good serviceable furnishings?

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SOCIETY NEWS

MRS. ERIC GELLERSTEDT, Editor. TELEPHONE 644

Please let me hold your dolly, dear—
She's got a beautiful head;
Santa Clause didn't bring me one
'Cause my papa is dead.

I lay awake the live-long night
To hear him on our shed;
I guess he went the other way
'Cause my papa is dead.
He brought Sam Jones a picture book,
The cover was solid red;
I 'spect he thought I couldn't read,
'Cause my papa is dead.

And Mary Smith got fruit and nuts,
Presents candy, too, they said;
I didn't get even a sugar mouse
'Cause my papa is dead.

—Author Unknown.

Mr. Albert King—

Mr. Albert King will be the [illegible] at a bridge party given by [illegible]

Study Club Meeting—

Miss Florrie Malone will entertain the Dothan Study Club this afternoon at three o'clock.

Mrs. George Cothran of Selma is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. J. Felix Walker.

The White House Quiet This Winter—

A washington print of Sunday last says: "The statement to the effect that there would be no social entertainment of any kind in the President's home during the coming winter placed at rest any vague hope which might have lingered within the hearts of the people and at once set hostesses, official and otherwise, to planning their private programs. There is precedent enough, and of a varied sort, to put the President's mind at rest, even were he not master of his own convictions. Mrs. Tyler died September 10, 1842 and there were no entertainments for that and the following year, except a New Year reception, which was attended by diplomats and those of the official and resident circles. Mrs. Abraham Lincoln abolished state dinners at the White House and proposed instead to give three receptions. She held one in February, 1862, and Willie Lincoln's death, on March 20, of course cut off all festivities. The President held his New Year reception, however, and it was on the memorable New Year Day of 1863 that he signed the emancipation proclamation. President Grant refused to hold a New Year reception January 1, 1871, because of the death of Mrs. Belknap, the day following Christmas, 1870, the event placing not only the home of the Secretary of War in mourning, but the entire cabinet. The President and Mrs. Hayes must have omitted dinner parties to the diplomatic corps during that administration, for it is recorded that President Arthur gave a dinner to the diplomatic corps February 16, 1882, the first to be given to that august body in four years.

Make Cotton Servant, Instead of King.

The whole truth of the matter is that while this or that expedi[illegible] may help [illegible] bauch, made fourfold worse by the unexpected effects of war, yet the only thing that offers permanent relief is a change in the South's manner of farming. We can't be forever swearing on and off on cotton, moderating a little the first one year and then another, but always winding up in the middle of a bad fix. As we have said before, we have called cotton "king" and have served it instead of making it serve us. It's a good servant but a mighty sorry king. The best single paragraph in the whole pile of letters we have received on the cotton situation is this from Mr. H. W. Beall of Mayesville, South Carolina.

"We have formed a little association here in Baker school community with the avowed purpose of starting out on better lines. I am trying to impress on the farmers that **this is the time to begin a new and better system and not to regard stock or grain as a mere makeshift or locum tenens—something to tide us over to the time when cotton comes into his own, and then dropped."**

In other words, we must have a peramnent reform in our manner of living, and not a mere stimulant to carry us through a

PASSENGER OF STEAMER IS LOST AT SEA

New Orleans, Dec. 10.—The Southern Pacific Steamer Comus arrived here today from New York bringing the story of loss at sea Saturday of a passenger.

IF THE BABY IS CUTTING TEETH USE Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup

READ THE EAGLE AND IMPROVE YOUR [illegible]

Arthur Tomlinson of Brooklyn. During the severe storm a huge wave caught Tomlinson just as he was about to enter his state room and swept him overboard. His traveling companion E. J. O'Hara, of New York was caught by the same wave and painfully hurt when thrown against the rail. The comber left him hanging over the rail.

PRESIDENT AGAIN ASKED TO ENDORSE WOMAN SUFFRAGE

Washington, Dec. 10.—President Wilson was asked again today to endorse a constitutional amendment for woman suffrage but reiterated that the question was for the states.

The president congratulated Miss Anne Martin, president of the Nevada Suffrage Association on the success of the cause in her State, and declared that [illegible]

SURE WAY TO GET RID OF DANDRUFF

End Itching Scalp and Stop Falling Hair—As [illegible]

There is one sure way to remove dandruff completely. This is to dissolve it. This entirely. To do this, just [illegible] ounces of plain, ordinary [illegible] apply it at night when [illegible] enough to moisten the scalp [illegible] in gently with the fingers. [illegible] morning most, if not all, dandruff will be gone, and [illegible] more applications will dissolve and entirely destroy every sign and trace of it, no matter how much dandruff you may have.

You will find, too, that the dripping of the scalp will stop and your hair will be fluffy, glossy, silky and soft, with a hundred times more life.

If you want to have a fine head of hair, do by all means [illegible] for nothing destroys the hair like dandruff. It not only ruins the hair, but it [illegible] scraggly, dull, lifeless and [illegible]

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